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The 24 Army, 8 Army Group, 3 Field Army, formerly garrisoning Shanghai and Woosung, has departed and defense duties for that area have been assumed by the 23 Army, 8 Army Group, 3 Field Army.

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Comment. According to a report from another agency, the 24

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Army was stationed in Manchuria and elements of the 23 Army at Nanking during June 1951. [redacted] cited the arrival of the 23 Army in the Shanghai-Nanking area in December 1950. [redacted] reported the transfer of the 23 Army to Chekiang in early March 1951.

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